



VERIFICATION OF TRANSLATION

I, Richard A. Patner, a translator with Chillson Translating Service, 3530 Chas Drive, Hampstead, Maryland, 21074, hereby declare as follows:

That I am familiar with the Japanese and English languages;

That I am capable of translating from Japanese to English;

That the translation attached hereto is a true and accurate translation of Japanese Appl. Serial No. 09/666,481 titled, "Method for producing 2-alkyl-4-isothiazoline-3-one;"

That all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true;

And further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any registration resulting therefrom.

By _____

Executed this 5 day of December.

Witness Catherine M. M.